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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:

Xavier PALIARD

Serial No.: 09/673,798

Art Unit: 1633

Filing Date: October 18, 2000

Examiner: C. Drabik

Title: ENHANCING IMMUNE RESPONSES TO GENETIC IMMUNIZATION BY USING A CHEMOKINE

## RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 30, 2001 (Paper No. 3). Submitted herewith is a petition for a one-month extension of time and appropriate fee, making a response due on or before September 30, 2001. Because September 30 falls on a Sunday, a response filed October 1 is timely filed. The Examiner therein required election of one of the following groups of claims: